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In re Application of:

Walter W. Collins

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For : FOLDING KNIFE WITH ACTUATABLE SAFETY LOCKING
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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Reissue Application dated October 25, 2001, applicant has enclosed a properly signed Declaration of Walter W. Collins and Petition for Reissue. Applicant also has enclosed a check in the amount of \$130.00 for payment of the surcharge for filing the Declaration of Walter W. Collins and Petition for Reissue subsequent to the filing date of the application. A duplicate copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Reissue Application is enclosed.

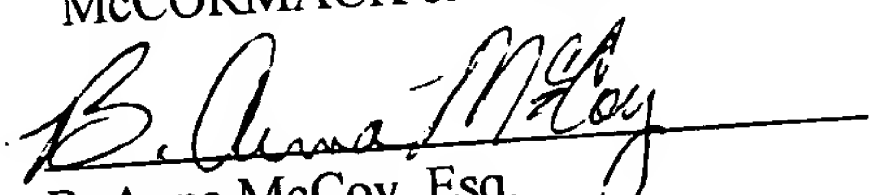
Additionally, applicant has reformatted the reissue application in single-column format as required for applications filed prior to November 7, 2000 (see MPEP § 1411).

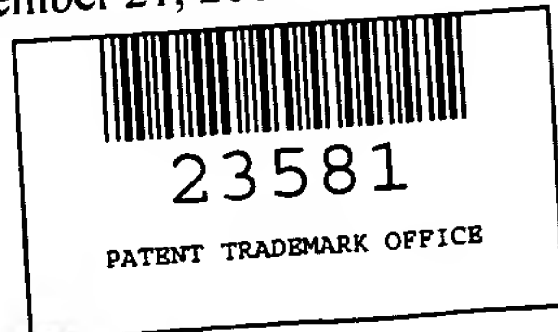
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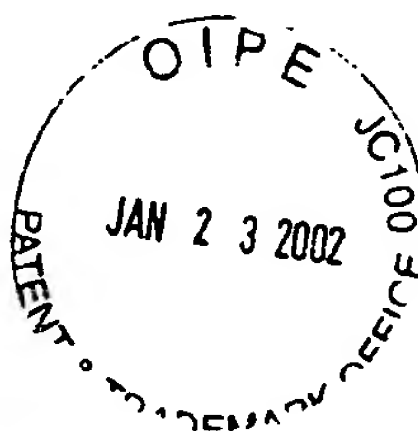


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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF REISSUE APPLICATION

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this reissue application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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